

Docket No: 243216US3 DIV

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
Masami MATSUURA et al. : EXAMINER: UNASSIGNED  
SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION :  
FILED: HEREWITH : GROUP ART UNIT: UNASSIGNED  
FOR: MOTION REDUCTION APPARATUS AND FLOATING BODY THEREWITH

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.